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In re Application of:)	Confirmation No.: 3781
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Application No.: 10/022,574)	Examiner: Aaron D. Matthew
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Filed: December 20, 2001)	

For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR IMPLEMENTING REDUNDANT SERVERS**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

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Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action dated October 13, 2004 to which a response is due without an extension by January 13, 2005. In view of the following amendments and remarks, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider and withdraw the outstanding rejections and allow all claims pending in the application.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. If it is believed that the application is not in condition for allowance the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned attorney if it is believed that such contact will expedite the prosecution of the application.

In the event this paper is not timely filed, Applicant petitions for an appropriate extension of time. Please charge any fee deficiencies or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 50-2036.

Respectfully submitted,

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